

Y-12ers Donate Record Amount To Red Cross

**Final Tabulations
Total \$6,110.46;
Is 62.9% Over Goal**

Final tabulations from all precincts as of last Friday, March 12, show that generous Y-12ers have contributed a total of \$6,110.46 to the Oak Ridge Chapter of the American Red Cross according to Ray Barron, Y-12 Red Cross Plant Campaign Committee Chairman. This is the largest amount ever contributed by Y-12ers to the Red Cross and was 62.9 per cent above the goal of \$3,750 given to the plant.

The Oak Ridge Chapter is seeking \$24,595 for its work in the city during the coming year. W. S. Herron, Y-12er in the Chemical Division, is the general fund campaign chairman for the local chapter and James E. Campbell, of the Y-12 Personnel Department, is the chapter chairman.

UCC Gives \$1,650

Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, of which Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company is a Division, contributed \$1,650 to the Oak Ridge Red Cross chapter on behalf of the Carbide installations in the Oak Ridge area.

This was the seventh consecutive year in which Y-12ers have been the first unit in its division to meet and go over the top of its quota and also first to turn the contributions into Red Cross headquarters. All Y-12 employees are to be commended for responding quickly and generously to all such campaigns to support worthy community welfare work.

Committee Gets Credit

A large share of the credit for another successful campaign should go to Chairman Ray Barron, Office Manager of the Manufacturing Office Division and to the committee members including John Rohland, Manufacturing Office, assistant chairman; O. W. Briscoe, Laboratory; Bruce Whitaker, Manufacturing Office; W. O.

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Maintenance Division Lists Promotions For Six More Qualified Plant Employees

Second Series Of Sketches Recognize Personnel Advancing To Foreman Or Assistant Foreman

The Bulletin this week is presenting six more sketches of Y-12ers in the Maintenance Division in recognition of their promotions to supervisory rank as a result

ASME Group To Hold Meeting On Thursday

The Oak Ridge Area of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers will hold its meeting tomorrow night, Thursday, March 18. The meeting will be held in the Starlight Room of the Oak Terrace with a dinner scheduled for 6:30 p.m. to be followed at 8 p.m. with a talk by Harry D. Bitner, of the Reynolds Metal Co. All Y-12 members of the ASME, their guests and friends are urged to attend the session.

Bitner's subject will be "Aluminum Fabrication." He is a native of Indiana, receiving his bachelor of science degree in Chemical Engineering from Purdue University. In 1935 he joined Reynolds Metals Co., as Research Metallurgist and at present he is Chief Fabrication Engineer of the Products and Applications Department.

All Y-12ers wanting to attend the meeting are asked to make reservations in advance from W. R. Gall, plant telephone 7677.

REDS' FACES SAID RED

Sen. Richard B. Russell (D. Ga.) is quoted by the Atlanta Constitution as saying that he believes Russia is so far behind the United States in atomic developments that the Soviets might be embarrassed to enter any international program for sharing atomic energy.

of their good work records and qualifications. These sketches will be published regularly in The Bulletin and there is absolutely no significance in the order in which they appear in each story or in the series.

Here are the sketches of the six chosen for this week's edition:

C. E. Harris—An "old timer" in Y-12, Harris was employed on August 9, 1943. From the post of development mechanic in the ADP Maintenance Service Department, he was promoted to assistant foreman on July 1, 1953. He and his family live at 113 Parsons Road, Oak Ridge.

M. E. Kitchens—Coming to work in Y-12 on December 10, 1947, Kitchens was an electrician in the Electrical Maintenance Department until his advancement on August 1, 1953 to foreman in that department. The Kitchens family lives at 107 West Gettysburg Ave., Oak Ridge.

B. C. Harrington—Harrington is another long-time employee in Y-12, his employment dating back to August 10, 1943. He was an outside machinist in the Field Maintenance Department when he was promoted to assistant foreman on August 1, 1953. Harrington and his family live at 140 Tyson Road, Oak Ridge.

W. T. Pratt—His most recent employment in Y-12 dating from May 26, 1953, Pratt received his promotion from pipefitter in the ADP Maintenance Service Department to the post of assistant foreman on September 1, 1953. He lives at 300 Delta St., Clinton.

W. M. Stephan—Another employee in the ADP Maintenance Service Department, Stephan was employed in Y-12 on October 16, 1950. He was an outside machinist when he was promoted to the post of assistant foreman on September 1, 1953. He and his family live at 223 Waddell Circle, Oak Ridge.

G. W. Manning—He has been a Y-12 employee since May 9, 1952. On September 1, 1953, he was promoted from shop inspector in the ADP Maintenance Service Department to assistant foreman. He and his folks live at 253 Waddell Circle, Oak Ridge.

Surplus Property Sale Set Saturday, March 27

Another big surplus property sale at the Carbide warehouse on River Road will be held on Saturday, March 27. Y-12ers and other Oak Ridge people have purchased many useful items at previous sales conducted by the company. The sale will start at 8 a.m. and will last until noon.

Girls Club To Give Social On March 19

The rapidly expanding Y-12 Girls Club will sponsor another social function on Friday night of this week, March 19, in the Starlight Room at the Oak Terrace. The event will be a Saint Patrick's Day Dinner and Dance. Dinner will be at 7:30 p.m. with the dance beginning at 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

Bill Pollack will furnish the music for the gathering and dress will be semi-formal. The dinner and dance will be for Girls Club members only with their escorts.

A meeting was held last week in Batavia Hall where arrangements for the shindig were completed. There were 20 club members present at the meeting headed by Sue Wassom, president of the organization. Handling publicity details for the organization is Florence Housch.

UT Offers Program For Graduate People

The University of Tennessee Graduate School has announced the calendar for the Spring Quarter for the Oak Ridge Resident Graduate Program. All classes will begin on Tuesday, March 23, and will be held in the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies Training Building. All courses will carry three quarter hours of credit.

Registration will be on Monday, March 22, from 6 p.m. to 9 o'clock p.m. at the ORINS Training Building. After March 31, a service fee of \$1 will be charged for late payments.

The Fall Quarter Program will include Chemical Engineering 513, heat convection; Chemistry 561, colloids; Chemistry 573, theoretical inorganic chemistry; Industrial Management 513, managerial planning and control; Industrial Management 523, human problems in administration; Mathematics 453, introduction to analysis; Mathematics 513, theory of functions of a complex variable; Mathematics 543, integral equations; Mathematics 563, mathematical methods in physics; Metallurgy 586, high and low temperature behavior of metals; Physics 453, atomic physics laboratory; Physics 513, introduction to theoretical physics; Physics 542, electromagnetic theory; Physics 553, advanced thermodynamics and statistical mechanics; Physics 613, quantum mechanics; Zoology 578, radiation physiology.

POOR EXCUSE GIVEN

In a letter to the editor of the Washington Post, a correspondent declares that the Soviet Russia rulers' only excuse to the Russian people for poor living standards is the threat posed to the country by the atomic might of the free world.

Eligible Y-12ers Now Receiving Safety Awards

Individual Articles Are Being Distributed At Various Portals

Y-12ers who participated in the ninth and tenth Carbide safety periods in which the plant operated 3,126,787 hours without a lost time accident are now receiving their individual awards.

The distribution of awards started yesterday and will continue today and tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday, March 17 and 18, according to the announcement made last week by the Safety Department.

The great majority of the awards are being given to Y-12ers at the North, East, West and Bear Creek Portals from 6:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. and from 2:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. No distribution will be made at the Biology Portal but employees in the Biology Division will receive awards from C. P. McWright, Bldg. 9207.

The individual awards which are being distributed include; pen and pencil set, steak knives, travel iron, travel toilet kit, carving set, kitchen clock, canister set, ice crusher, bath room scales, casting rod, card table and Scotch cooler.

The long safety string of 3,126,787 hours worked began on July 30, 1953 and ended November 20, 1953. This mark established an all-time safety record for all plants in the Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company. The record breaking span of hours worked is a fine tribute to the safety habits being developed throughout the entire Y-12 Plant. The Safety Department urges everyone in the Y-12 area to practice their best safety habits in order to top the present record held by our plant.

Second Beaux Art Ball Set For Saturday, March 20

The Second Annual Beaux Art Ball to be staged by the Oak Ridge Art Center will be held on Saturday night, March 20, at the Oak Terrace ballroom. The theme of this year's ball will be "Fantasy-Science Fiction" with guests coming garbed for the occasion. The theme last year was "April in Paris."

The ball is patterned somewhat after the famous affair of the same name originating in Paris. In the Oak Ridge version this year prizes will be awarded to guests whose costumes are considered the most original, the best couple and the best fitting title theme.

SAFETY SCOREBOARD

Your Plant Has
Operated
17 Days

Without A Lost Time
Accident

Through March 14



W. S. HERRON, LEFT, OAK RIDGE RED CROSS CAMPAIGN Chairman, receives a check for \$1,650.00 from Clark E. Center, Vice President of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company in charge of atomic energy activities. The contribution to the Oak Ridge Chapter of the American Red Cross was made by Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation on behalf of all divisions of the Corporation. The Oak Ridge Chapter is seeking \$24,595 for its work in the city during the coming year.

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S. F. Creigh

Veteran Carbider Joins Y-12 Forces

A veteran Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company employee, Samuel Finley Creigh, officially joined the Y-12 forces on March 1 as an assistant Plant Shift Superintendent.

24 Years With Carbide

Creigh is a native of Ronceverte, W. Va. He has spent an approximate total of 24 years with Carbide, joining the company on April 6, 1930 at the South Charleston Plant. Creigh has been somewhat of a mover since his early association with Carbide going from place to place during his long and varied experiences with the company.

Started As Operator

He started out as an operator in South Charleston in 1930 and spent four years there before transferring to the plant at Whiting, Ind., as a chemical foreman. He spent nine years at Whiting before leaving in 1943 to become associated with the plant in Louisville, Ky., as a shift superintendent. The Louisville facility closed in 1945 and Creigh was sent back to Whiting and remained there until 1950 when the Louisville plant re-opened. The second stint in Louisville lasted two years before transferring to the gaseous diffusion plant in Paducah in 1952 and with the southern yearn again Creigh was transferred to Oak Ridge and Y-12 on March 1, 1954.

Worked With Y-12ers

He is a well-known man among many Oak Ridgers and Y-12 people having worked with many of them at various times and places. He and his wife, Florence, have two sons, Roderick Finley and David Hunter and are residing at 94 Arkansas Ave. in Oak Ridge.

GRILLED BALONEY WITH HOT POTATO SALAD TOPS SPECIAL LUNCH

Grilled baloney with hot potato salad will be the featured tidbit on the Thursday Special Lunch at the cafeteria tomorrow, Thursday, March 18. The entree will be accompanied by one vegetable, choice of salad or dessert and rolls and butter—all for 50 cents.



MAINTENANCE DIVISION

Field Maintenance Department extends sympathy to C. W. Ellison, whose mother died recently at the family home in Virginia—Ellison is spending this week there . . . B. R. Price is vacationing this week in order to enter his daughter in the Vanderbilt Clinic in Nashville for observation . . . W. T. Loving is spending his week of leisure at home in Lake City . . . Wallace Humphrey spent last week's vacation in Jacksonville, Fla. . . A welcome is extended to the new members in the department who are W. H. Green, W. P. Vogelgessang, E. Mullins, D. Justice, D. Bell, A. J. Harvey and E. J. Hickie . . . Folks on last week's sick list included B. B. Blackburn, B. F. Butler, N. L. Derryberry, E. R. Robinson, C. Sharp, J. T. Roland, R. H. Buchanan, G. D. Adams, P. B. Caldwell, J. R. Pelfrey and P. L. Patrick. Their work-time buddies wish them a speedy recovery . . . A welcome goes to W. J. Wanamaker, C. G. Treece and C. J. Beckett, who returned to work last week after their various ailments.

G. R. Beasley, of Utilities Maintenance, is on the mend after a tonsillectomy—his co-workers hope he will be able to be back among them soon . . . Lonnie Ellison is the only fellow listed on vacation this week.

Barbara Thomas is the new girl down in Planning and Estimating—and a hearty welcome is extended to her.

The Laundry Department missed Sarah Coram's helping hand last week because the pore little gal was ill—they hope she hurries and gets well.

Building and Grounds Department extends sympathy to B. M. Alford, whose brother passed away last Wednesday in Morton, Miss. . . E. A. Malone is visiting his mother in Texas this week . . . It's vacation-week also for O. Smith, G. W. Chancey and W. Poland. Here's hoping they have fun in whatever they have planned to do . . . There is just cause for rejoicing in the C. J. Maddux, Sr., household this month. Both the younger Maddux boys, C. J., Jr., and Bill, are home for a month from Korea, where they have served for a year or longer with the Air Force. After their leave is up C. J. will report to Savannah, Ga., and Bill goes to Fort Bragg, N. C. The Maddux's older son, Jim, his wife and son came down from Detroit, Mich., recently for a visit with the family.

Vacation-time is here for W. M. Farr and J. A. Davis, of Transportation, and they took off this week for parts unknown.

J. M. White, Research Service, is vacationing this week in Memphis, Tenn. . . F. O. Gaddis and J. W. Woody still remain ill and the department wishes them a speedy recovery.

Electrical Maintenance Department extends hearty congratulations to D. G. Roe, who was married to Thelma Ruth Guy of Oliver Springs on February 21, in Clinton. The couple have set up housekeeping at 330 West Outer Drive in Oak Ridge . . . Wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Cy White's wife after an operation in the Baptist Hospital in Knoxville . . . A welcome goes to the new members in the department who are R. C. Jones, R. S. Hickman, W. D. Bolin and L. L. Brownlee . . . J. R. Carriger took advantage of his vacation-week to move into his new abode over in Kingston . . . F. T. Lee spent last week's vacation working on his new home hereabouts. . . J. L. Sprouse and family are now dwelling in our fair city.

ADP Maintenance Department extends congratulations to R. E. McKenzie and to B. A. Riggle—Both fellows slipped away and got

married recently without letting anyone know. Their brides are also to be congratulated . . . B. F. Porter and Otto Bowles were listed among the ailing last week and the department wishes a quick return . . . F. E. Daniel and H. C. Whitson returned to work last week after being off ill—their co-workers were right glad to see them . . . People in the department were sorry to hear that W. D. Hixon's son was injured recently when struck by a bus and wish him a speedy recovery . . . O. E. Bean was involved in an auto mishap recently but wasn't injured, much to the relief of his friends . . . If anyone wonders what color that new Ford is that J. C. Sandidge is driving just ask him.

Homer Park, of Maintenance Shops, had a run of luck catching small mouth and striped bass in the Clinch River lately—the only trouble was he couldn't get a reliable witness to verify the fact. . . R. B. Carter vacationed last week at home in Oliver Springs. . . W. H. Sherrod spent his week of vacation at home in Knoxville, doubtless learning how to take care of that new offspring . . . W. E. Lamb has returned from an enjoyable week of vacation at home in Jellico . . . A hearty welcome goes to J. F. Elder, the latest addition to the roster . . . Wishes for a speedy recovery go to the fellows on the sick list which includes W. J. Crabtree, T. J. Knudsen, W. J. Grigsby, W. J. Fowler, N. E. Hamby, R. E. Gilmore and W. N. Lacy.

LABORATORY DIVISION

Daisy Ward, of Special Testing, attended the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in Memphis, Tenn., last week end. She was chosen to sing in the Chapter's Choir at the annual meeting.

Georgia Leonard, of the Uranium Analytical Department, is on a week of vacation . . . Emil Dittman, a former Y-12er, has bought a home in Freeport, Ill., where he is now working at the Burgess Battery Company.

CHEMICAL DIVISION

Congratulations are in order for James A. Gillerist, of Uranium Control, who is the proud papa of a baby boy born March 11, at the Oak Ridge Hospital—little James, Jr., weighed seven pounds at birth . . . Fred Baker vacationed recently in Florida.

Joseph L. Ailey, Product Processing, his family and his father are spending a two-week vacation in Wichita Falls, Tex.

The Chemical Department extends sympathy to H. J. Searcy, whose father died last week in Stevenson, Ala. . . The department extends get-well wishes to Hazel Lemons, who is convalescing at her home in Sweetwater after a three-day stay in the Baptist Hospital in Knoxville.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS DIVISION

Arnold Tiller, of the Insurance Department spent a recent week of vacation at his "Ranch" in Roane County.

Desma Hutcheson, Wage Standards, had Flora Coefield, of Uranium Control, down to her home in Soddy, Tenn., over the week end. . . Meta Butler had her nephew, M. D. O'Guinn, and his family, from Indianapolis, Ind., as recent week-end guests. Meta's sister, Mrs. J. D. O'Guinn, from Camden, Tenn., visited her last week.

The Health-Physics Department welcomes Wade Roberts, LaVaughn Heath, Dot Smith and Eugene Grassell to the roster . . . They also extend a welcome to Jack Bounds, who is back with them after doing service with the



St. Patrick Was Scotch...? Irish Irate

An' th' top o th' mornin' to yez—all ye sons of the ould sod—on this fine St. Patrick's Day.

But faith an' begorra—b'gosh and heavens to Betsy—dig what those brash Scotsmen are tryin' to put over on us foine Irishers.

St. Patrick Born In Scotland

Those kilt-wearin' and heather pickin' Highlanders are a-claimin' that St. Pat himself, the great patron saint of all good Irishmen, was born in the village of Kilpatrick—in Scotland, yet—in the year 387 and that his father and mother were of a Roman family of high rank. Shure—they had to be of high rank to bring forth such a great man as St. Patrick—and remember ye this, take a note of the town. Of course, it had to have a "patrick" in it somewhere.

Anyhow, here we are celebratin' the "Wearin' Of The Green" on St. Patrick's Day in the Morning—this March 17. This is the anniversary of the death in the year 943 A.D. of the great churchman who in his life preached and taught in Ireland for many years, building churches, organizing parishes and performing miracles.

Shamrock Illustrates Trinity

Natch—you Irish know about the Shamrock, but it was explained first by St. Patrick who held aloft the three-leaved plant, which, he said, represented the Holy Trinity with the stem on which the leaves grew representing the unity of the Three In One.

Now there are millions of Americans with Irish blood in their veins—and they may well be proud of it on this St. Patrick's Day as well as on every other day of the year—Ireland's contribution to the brain and brawn of the United States. They also can look with pride to the land of their forefathers for the Emerald Isle today is one of the three richest in all of Europe, per capita. Sweden and Switzerland are the other two. The standard of living in these three countries is reported to be among the highest in all Europe.

"Erin Go Bragh—"

Conservation Club Sets Meeting For March 25

The Oak Ridge Conservation Club has scheduled its next meeting for 8 o'clock, next Thursday night, March 25 in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall. Several interesting pictures will be shown to all present and refreshments will be served after the club meeting.

Atomic Beagle Club To Hold Derby For Pups

Y-12ers are reminded of a derby to be held by the Atomic Beagle Club starting at 8 a. m. on Saturday, March 20, at the running grounds on Emery Valley Road. The derby will be a trial for pups one year old and under.



The following Y-12 employees were patients in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week:

Gus Craig and J. A. Burns, Buildings and Grounds; Roy H. Buchanan, Charles B. Davis and H. H. Miller, Field Maintenance; Jack Gresham, Uranium Processing; B. F. Hope, Property Sales; J. E. Davey, Alloy; Freddie Huskey, Janitors.

Atomic Museum Observes Anniversary March 19

The American Museum of Atomic Energy will observe its fifth anniversary on Friday, March 19. The museum is operated for the Atomic Energy Commission by the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies. All museum viewers on the anniversary date will be admitted free.

A number of new exhibits will be on display for the Friday affair. A ten-foot-high model of the Oak Ridge graphite reactor will be displayed. This "reactor" contains uranium-235, has a control console and provides graphic demonstrations of reactor operation.

Another feature planned for March 19 will be an illustrated lecture showing the extent of the exhibit activities of the museum. It is estimated that more than 7,000,000 people have seen the traveling exhibits in various showings over the United States.

10 Years Service

Congratulations to the following Y-12 employees who will complete 10 years of Company service within the next few days.

Clyde R. Miller, Janitor's, March 18.

Walter D. Hill, Stores, March 20.

Evan B. Galloway, Research Services, March 20.

L. P. Vines, Maintenance Shops, March 20.

Wofford M. Akers, Electrical Maintenance, March 20.

Maurice J. Fortenberry, ADP Development, March 22.

William H. Ward, Product Processing, March 23.

William C. Anderson, Stores, March 24.

Carbide Wives To Hold Regular Meeting Tonight

The Carbide Wives will hold their regular monthly card party and meeting tonight Wednesday, March 17. The affair will feature a St. Patrick's Day theme. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall. Mrs. D. M. Cox will be the executive board member in charge of the event. Among the hostesses will be Mrs. H. S. Wagner, wife of a Y-12er, and Mesdames B. F. Brown, Jr., J. H. Fletcher, Herbert Cleveland, Keith Lowry and W. B. Chamberly.

Nuclear Science Group To Hear Talk By K-25er

The Oak Ridge Nuclear Science Group of the Institute of Radio Engineers will hear a talk on "Feedback In Pneumatic Circuits" at its meeting at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Wednesday, March 17. The meeting will be held in the West Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall. A number of Y-12ers are members of the group.

The speaker for the meeting tonight will be Andrew Fowler, of K-25 Instrument Engineering.

VARSITY SOFTBALL DRILLS START MARCH 29

Robins Win Cards Lose In Knox Meet

The Y-12 women's varsity basketball team got off to a good start in the Appalachian Tournament last week in Knoxville by winning over the Baptist Hospital lassies 23 to 20 in a squeaker while the Cardinals were upset by the Vol Pros 49 to 38. The loss eliminated the Y-12 men from the tourney.

The Hospital team moved ahead of the Robins at the outset of the struggle and led 18 to 14 at the end of the third rest stop but the Y-12 women came back strong in the last canto to win by a three point margin. Mary Witt, Y-12 forward, led the scoring parade with eight tallies.

The Cards went down fighting before the Vol Pros. The game was close throughout with the Y-12 men behind only two points at halftime but in the last quarter the Y-12ers managed to score only four points while the Vols gathered in 10 tallies.

Line scores of games last week follows:

Robins	4	12	14	23
Hospital	9	14	18	20
Cardinals	12	19	34	38
Vol Pros	14	21	39	49

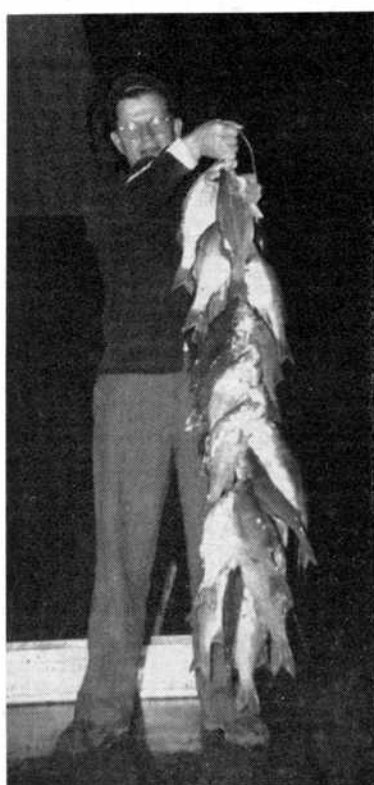
Hot Wires Climb In C Pin Circuit

The Hot Wires continued to climb last week in the C League by winning a whitewash victory from the Glass Arms to move into a first place tie with the Rusty Five. The Rusty Five won three points from the Screw Balls. Other League action found the Uranium Control Junior Varsity winning three tallies from the Hornets while the Cant Hooks and Hooks fought to a two-point deadlock.

Frank Zupan, of the Screw Balls, rolled a 193 scratch game, and a 527 scratch series to take top honors in individual competition. Sam DeFelice, of the Glass Arms, tallied a 226 handicap game while Leo Hemphill, of the Rusty Five, blasted the pins for a 615 handicap series. Team honors went to the Rusty Five by rolling a 806 scratch game, a 2316 scratch series, boosted to 2849 with handicap. The Screw Balls got into the act with a 975 handicap game.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Rusty Five	31	13
Hot Wires	31	13
Cant Hooks	25	19
Hooks	23	21
UCJV	20	24
Hornets	19	25
Screw Balls	17	27
Glass Arms	10	34



WHAT A LOT OF FUN Halstead Meadows, of Maintenance Shops, had hauling in the fine flock of fish shown above. He and some companions hit a school of striped bass in the Emory River not so long back and Halstead alone caught 28 of the beauties in 90 minutes, the total weight of the string being 36 pounds.

Varsity Women Win City Contest

The Y-12 women's varsity bowling team won a whitewash victory last week over the Oak Ridge Hospital keggerettes in a City League tussle. The victory enabled the Y-12 women to remain in first place in the loop by a one-point margin.

Dot Park led the scoring for Y-12 with 145, 157, 187—489; followed by Jaunita Reed 155, 135, 135—425; Betty Whitehorn 152, 151, 117—420; Doris Walton 112, 154, 141—407 and Mavis Koons 133, 121, 114—368. Team totals for Y-12 were 697, 718, 694—2109 against 663, 587, 668—1918 for the hospital lassies.

The Y-12 women are scheduled to roll against Norris Creamery this week at the Oak Terrace alleys.

All problems become smaller if you don't dodge them, but confront them. Touch a thistle timidly, and it pricks you; grasp it boldly, and its spines crumble—William S. Halsey.

Maintenance Wins Tourney; Aces Second

Manager Clyde Carter's Maintenance cagers wrapped up the championship of the Y-12 Plant Basketball Tournament last week at the Oak Ridge High School gymnasium by winning over Manager Herb Oliver's Aces 41 to 36 in a hard-fought tussle. Maintenance jumped to a 21 to 12 lead at half-time and continued to hold on to a slender margin throughout the game. R. E. Justice led the scoring parade for the winners by meshing 14 tallies followed by Ray Malcolm with eight markers. Oliver led the losing Aces with 11 points followed by John Myers with nine counters.

Ticket Sale Ends March 19 For Rodeo

The deadline for purchase of fishing rodeo tickets has been set for this Friday, March 19. This is the first fishing rodeo of the year for plant anglers and their families. The rodeo will be held from 12:01 a.m., March 22, through midnight, April 4.

Any Y-12er or a member of his immediate family (wife, husband or child) may enter the rodeo by purchasing a ticket for 50 cents.

Tickets may be purchased at the following places: Y-12 Recreation Office, North Portal; R. S. Phillippi, Bldg. 9212; Avery Kendig, Bldg. 9201-2; Evan Means, Bldg. 9737; Russell Hopper, Bldg. 9707; Nelson Tibbatts, Bldg. 9739; Joe Smyrl, Bldg. 9204-4 and R. H. Eichorn, Property Sales at Elza Gate.

Specie of fish eligible for entry into the rodeo include largemouth, smallmouth and striped bass, walleye and sauger pike, crappie, bream and trout.

First, second and third prizes will be given in each class with weight determining the winners. In case of ties, length and girth, in that order will be used to determine the winner. All money received from entry fees will be used to buy prizes.

Complete rules for the rodeo are printed on each entry card.

Bumpers Keep Pace In B Bowling Loop

The Bumpers held on to first place in the B League last week by winning three points from the Rippers but the Wasps are threatening by virtue of a whitewash victory over the Rebels. Another whitewash victory was turned in by the Tigers over the Wolves while the Has Beens took three tallies from the Strikers. Other league action saw the All Stars show improvement with a three-point win over Bldg. 9211 while the Cubs took two and one-half points from the Swingsters.

Individual honors went to Len Hart, of the Rippers, with a 224 scratch game, and a 604 scratch series. E. B. Galloway, of the Bumpers, tallied a 236 handicap game and Lonon, of the Swingsters, rolled a 653 handicap series. Team honors went to the Bumpers by rolling a 935 scratch game, boosted to 1063 with handicap and a 2948 handicap series. The Rippers got into the act with a 2596 scratch series.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Bumpers	10	2
Wasps	9	3
Cubs	7	5
Has Beens	7	5
Tigers	7	5
Rippers	6 1/2	5 1/2
Rebels	6	6
Strikers	6	6
Wolves	4	8
All Stars	4	8
Bldg. 9211	3	9
Swingsters	2 1/2	9 1/2

Plant Sponsored Teams Prepare For Tough Season

Y-12 Women, Men Defend City Titles; Initial Sessions Open To All Tryouts

It won't be long now—just 12 days to be exact—until the varsity softballers of Y-12 will officially open practice sessions. The Y-12 men will hold their first organized practice on March 29, at 6 p.m., at Midtown No. 1 field with the varsity women also beginning practice at 6 p.m., March 29, at Pinewood Park.

Y-12 SPORTS

Y-12 Rifle Team Fifth In Firing

The Y-12 rifle team in the Oak Ridge Indoor League wound up fifth in both scratch and handicap firing last week after collecting a total score of 796 scratch and 960.880 with handicap.

W. D. Cunningham again led the scratch scoring for Y-12 with 176; followed by C. G. Brewster 166; R. C. McIlhenny 164; R. O. Wollan 163 and S. E. Adams 127. Handicap firing was also led by Cunningham 193.944; followed by Brewster 192.765; McIlhenny 192.533; Wollan 193.318 and Adams 188.320.

The Y-12 sharpshooters are scheduled to fire again Friday, March 19, at the Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association range.

Orphans Roll Way To D League Top

The improving Orphans took over undisputed possession of first place in the D League last week at the Central alleys by winning three big points from the Rollers while the second place Peons were upset by the Unknowns also by a three-point margin. The Sooners and Vectors rolled for eight points with the Sooners coming out on top by winning six tallies while the Vectors captured two markers.

Buck Davis, of the Sooners, took individual honors by sweeping the boards with a 190 scratch game, boosted to 232 with handicap, a 525 scratch series, increased to 651 with handicap. Team honors went to the Peons as they rolled a 804 scratch game, boosted to 1009 with handicap. The Orphans tallied a 2236 scratch series and the Sooners got into the act by marking up a 2806 handicap series.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Orphans	23	9
Peons	21	11
Sooners	18	14
Rollers	15	17
Unknowns	10	22
Vectors	9	23

There are admirable potentials in every human being. Believe in your strength and your youth. Learn to repeat endlessly to yourself: "It all depends on me."—Andre Gide.

Managing the Cardinals this season will be Roy Roberts, assisted by Harold Babb and C. B. Hopkins with Babb doubling up as secretary and treasurer of the club.

Several Veterans Return

A nucleus of veterans from last year's fine team will greet Manager Roberts and his staff. Among the returning veterans will be James Seivers, catcher; Robert Loy, Bill Wilburn and Morris Perry, pitchers; Eugene Huskison, first base; Kayo Montgomery, second base; Richard Wyrick, third base; Walter Simmons, Walter Sherrod and Raymond Caton, outfielders. A flock of "rookie" newcomers is expected to be on hand for the first drills to make the veterans from last year battle for the starting berths.

Any Y-12 employee will be welcomed to come out and battle for a position on the squad. Although prospects are bright for the Y-12 men this season, no starting positions are settled and some merry scraps for positions are expected.

Cards Play Tough Schedule

The Y-12ers will play some of the outstanding teams of the country again this season. The schedule as yet is incomplete but stiff competition can be expected in all games played. The Y-12 men again will be entered in the Knox-Ridge League which is composed of some of the best teams in this section of East Tennessee.

The Cardinals put together one of the best records in the United States last year by winning 42 and losing only eight games, winning the Knox-Ridge League championship and annexing the Oak Ridge City title.

Robins Welcome Tryouts

The Y-12 women, better known as the Robins, who finished second in the state tournament last year is returning a group of veterans but the Robins will welcome any new players wanting to try out for the team.

The Robins also were city champs of Oak Ridge in 1953 and will be a definite threat for the city title again with one eye cocked on the state championship now held by C. B. Ragland Co. of Nashville.

Recreation Supervisor, Bill Stanton, would welcome gladly any person in the plant who would like to manage and coach the Y-12 women this season. All that will be necessary is to communicate with the Recreation Office, North Portal, telephone 7753.



THE HAS BEENS, ONE OF THE MOST CONSISTENT teams in the B Bowling League, are pictured above. Bowlers being from left, Arthur Stewart, Rudy Pletz, Jack McLendon, Roy Roberts and Clyde Smith.

To Y-12 Recreation Office

I am interested in joining and helping to organize a Y-12 Horseshoe League for male employees.

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Navy . . . **Helen Ivens** was off ill last week and the department hopes she is able to return to work soon . . . **Bill Martin** is welcomed back to work after his absence because of illness.

The Safety Department hopes that **Bob Devinish's** wife, Idana, is not seriously ill. Bob took her to a specialist in Cincinnati, Ohio, for a check-up last week.

T. E. Ford, of Fire Prevention and Control, has returned from a week of vacation.

Congratulations go to **Lt. Doyle Beecher Williams**, Guard, who is the proud papa of a baby boy born February 24, at the Oak Ridge Hospital weighing nine pounds, three and one-half ounces. Williams was on a two-week vacation during that time and says he knows now what it is to keep house for five youngsters . . . **E. H. Gass** and **H. L. Smullen** are vacationing this week.

MANUFACTURING OFFICE DIVISION

Bill Plemens, of Property, is doing some spring planting while vacationing this week . . . The department welcomes **Carolyn Tucker** to the roster . . . A speedy recovery is wished for **Mary Goss'** mother, who is ill — and for **Frances Smith's** son, who is also ill.

J. H. Talley, Receiving and Shipping, has returned from a two-week vacation spent taking life easy at home in Russellville, Tenn.

The Stores Department extends sympathy to **G. H. Booth** at the death of a brother-in-law last week in Nashville . . . A welcome goes to **David Tipton**, the latest addition to the roster . . . **Helen Claffey** and her husband, **Chuck**, spent a recent week end at her home in Okolona, Miss.

ALLOY DIVISION

Jo Ann Baker, Alloy, spent a recent week end in LaGrange, Ga., with "Bucky" Marlar and her folks . . . **Hugh Griffin** spent a recent week end in Virginia . . . **R. Slate, Jr.**, visited relatives and friends in Bristol, Va.-Tenn., recently . . . **W. A. McCloud** went down to Monterey, Tenn., recently for a visit with friends and relatives . . . The department extends get-well wishes to **H. D. Bozeman**, who has been ill for a few weeks — and to **Betty Fellers**, who underwent a tonsillectomy in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week end . . . A welcome is extended to **Jean Vaughn**, who is the latest addition to the roster.

Ponies Blank Rams In Mixed League

The Ponies took over first place in the Mixed League last week by virtue of a whitewash victory over the sliding Rams while the second place Wheels only managed to split four tallies with the improving Hubs. Other league action found the Spotters winning three points from the Pin Balls.

"Buzz" Strunk, of the Ponies, took individual honors by rolling a 622 handicap series. Charley Gillihan, of the Spotters, tallied a 501 scratch series. Peggy Cowan, of the Pin Balls, took top honors in the women's division with a 149 scratch game, boosted to 211 with handicap. Betty Martin, of the Spotters, rolled a 435 scratch series, increased to 579 with handicap. The Wheels swept all team honors by blasting the maples for a 610 scratch game, boosted to 798, with handicap, going on to roll a 1708 scratch series, increased to 2272 with handicap.

League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Ponies	24	8
Wheels	22	10
Rams	18	14
Hubs	16	16
Spotters	13	19
Pin Balls	10	22

Varsity Bowlers Win City Loop Tilt

The Y-12 varsity bowlers turned in an impressive win last week in the Oak Ridge City League by winning three points from the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. The win moved Y-12 into second place only 12 points behind Max Friedman's keglars. The Y-12ers now have 65 wins and 38 losses in league competition.

Ernie Cobble led the scoring parade for Y-12 with 211, 167, 176—554; followed by Roy Roberts 175, 204, 156—535; Joe Pryson 188, 171, 176—535; Jack Spears 157, 171, 174—502 and George Schierbaum 162, 159, 140—461. Team totals for Y-12 were 893, 872, 822—2587 against 841, 750, 826—2417 for ORNL.

Carbide Wives Set Benefit For Cerebral Palsy Center

A benefit card party on April 30 will be given by the Carbide Wives to raise funds for the Oak Ridge Cerebral Palsy Center, the organization of employees wives announced last week. The benefit will be held in the Ridge Recreation Hall and announcement of ticket sales and other details will be made later.

Attendance Record

MAJOR LEAGUE More Than 50 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Percentage Absent	3-7	54	2-28-54
2077	1.3	1		1
2617	1.5	2		2
2619	1.7	3		3
2008	1.8	4		1
2091	2.0	5		4
2690	2.1	6		5
2142	2.99	7		17
2002	3.00	8		14
2014	3.04	9		10
2003	3.21	10		8
2026	3.21	10		9
2005	3.28	12		13
2060	3.31	13		6
2618	3.48	14		11
2108	3.52	15		15
2015	4.1	16		12
2001	4.7	17		18
2257	5.5	18		19
2018	7.4	19		16

Group absentee percentage was 3.0 per cent, .4 per cent higher than the preceding week.

MINOR LEAGUE 15-49 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Percentage Absent	3-7	54	2-28-54
2093	0.0	1		1
2260	0.0	1		1
2303	0.0	1		1
2140	0.0	1		13
2094	0.0	1		14
2743	0.0	1		17
2231	0.66	7		1
2200	0.71	8		1
2216	0.8	9		11
2143	1.2	10		1
2301	1.4	11		1
2046	1.7	12		9
2230	2.17	13		9
2090	2.22	14		12
2025	2.4	15		1
2096	2.7	16		18
2139	3.8	17		21
2107	4.1	18		16
2144	5.3	19		20
2252	5.5	20		19
2145	9.5	21		15

Group absentee percentage was 2.4 per cent, .5 per cent higher than the preceding week.

The plant average for the week ending March 7, was 2.9 per cent, .5 per cent higher than the preceding week.

Rides Wanted, Offered

Rider Wanted—From Washington Pike and Whittle Springs Road, Knoxville, to East Portal, straight day. O. W. Morris, plant telephone 7993, home telephone 4-5190, Knoxville.

Three Rides Or Three Riders Wanted—From Washington Pike, Valley View Road, Whittle Springs vicinity and Dutch Valley Road, Knoxville, straight day. W. L. McCormick, plant telephone 7951.

Riders Wanted—From Lenoir City to North Portal, straight day. Ray Stewart, plant telephone 7513, home telephone 459-W, Lenoir City.

Ride Wanted—From Henley Street and vicinity of the University of Tennessee, straight day. W. J. Leonard, plant telephone 7330, home telephone 5-8211, Knoxville.

Y-12ers May Obtain Hobby Show Blanks

Entry blanks are available to Y-12ers at the Recreation Office, North Portal, for the Third Annual Hobby Show which will be staged Saturday, March 20 by the Oak Ridge City Recreation Department. All entries must be taken to the site of the show at the Ridge Recreation Hall on the date of the show.

The big affair attracted 42 different exhibits last year and many more are expected to enter the event this year.

Exhibits will be divided into five classes including handicrafts, collections, medals, graphic arts and mechanical and technical. First, second and third place ribbons will be awarded to the winners in each class.

Judging of the five classes of the show will be continued this year and visitors to the show will be asked to vote for their favorite exhibit. The show will be open at 11 a.m. and will close at 9 p.m.

Golf Entry Deadline Set For March 24

The deadline for team entries in the Y-12 Plant Golf League has been set for Wednesday, March 24, with play in the loop to begin the following Wednesday, March 31.

The 1954 officials of the circuit will be Bill Reynolds, president; Harold Ratjen, vice-president; Bill Stanton, secretary and treasurer; and Clarence Johnson, matchmaker. A board of protest to handle such matters will be composed of Johnson, Elmore Koons and Bill Morgan.

Teams entered in the league with their representative thus far include: Divot Diggers, E. Webster; Eaglers, Charley Peterson; Hooks, Don Matlock, Bogies, Rudy Pletz; Rippers, Jay Holzknecht; Gophers, Arthur Hines; Grand Slammers, Clarence Johnson; Rough Riders, George Mitchell; Chippers, Bob Orrison; Plugs, Bill Reynolds; and Fat Boys, John Boyd.

Team captains of other groups intending to enter the league are urged to complete team organization as soon as possible. Entry blanks with team rosters must be sent to the Y-12 Recreation Office, North Portal. Each team will be allowed six players and any captain with more than his number of players is urged to help the surplus golfers find berths with other teams in the league.

A schedule will be completed after Wednesday, March 24, when all team entries are in the Recreation Office. The schedule will be divided into two halves of sufficient duration to allow two rounds of play in each. The winner of each half will meet in an 18-hole match for the league championship. Members of the winning team will receive trophies and medals will be awarded to the golfers on the runner-up team.

Y-12ers Donate Record Amount

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Elam, Industrial Relations; Leroy Thornton, Alloy; R. S. Phillippi, Chemical; Ralph Langsjoen, Development; Nelson Tibbatts, Engineering and Maintenance; Ross Eichorn, Property Sales; Jesse L. Hamon, Atomic Trades and Labor Council; and J. V. Ledbetter, International Guards Union of America.

Metals Group To Hold Meeting At K Of C Hall

The Oak Ridge Chapter of the American Society for Metals will hold its regular meeting tonight, Wednesday, March 17 at 8 p.m., in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Jefferson Circle.

The speaker for the session will be Glenn Guanneri, of the Cornell Aeronautical Laboratories, Buffalo, N. Y. His subject will be "Effect of Cyclic Stress and Temperature on the Creep Properties of Metals."

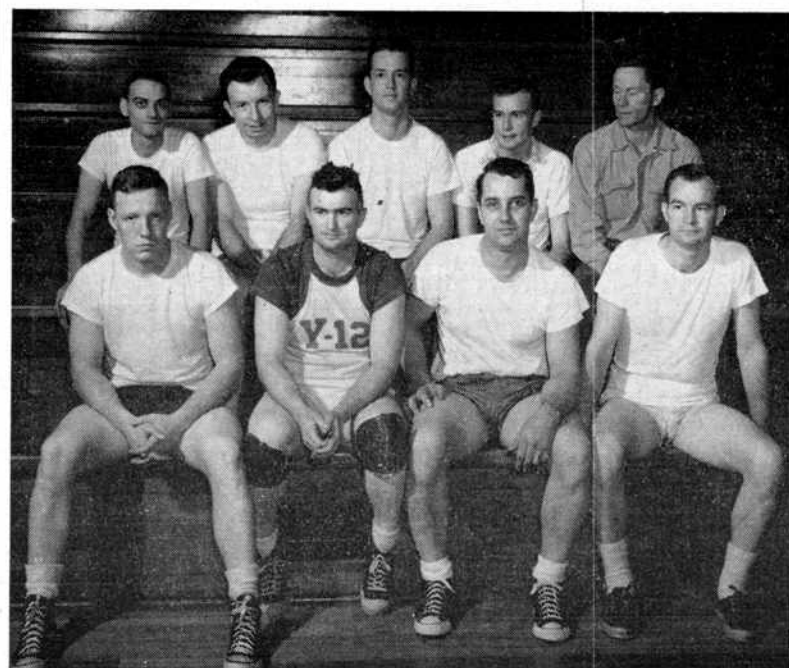
The chapter has many members in Y-12 and other Carbide installations in Oak Ridge.

Horseshoe League Planned For Y-12ers

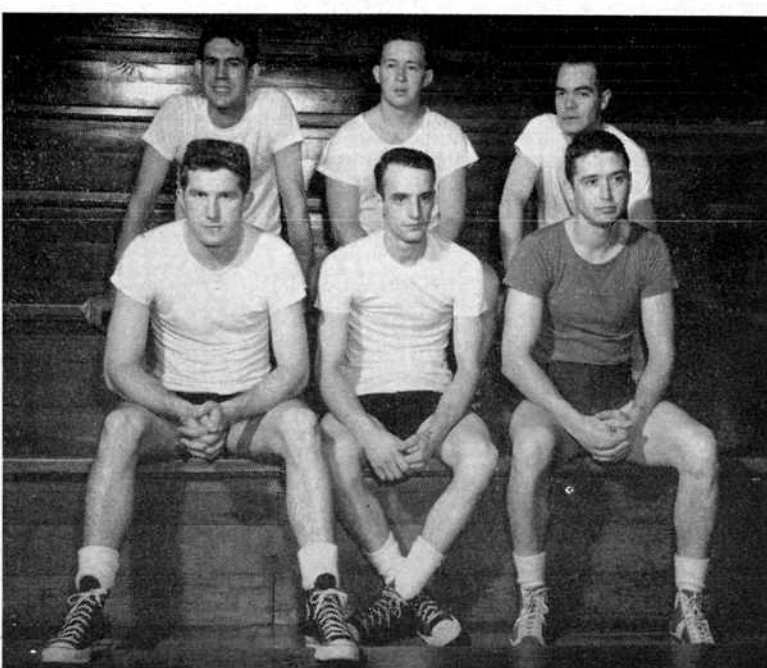
All Y-12ers desiring to enter the Y-12 Horseshoe League are urged to complete the application at the bottom of Page Three of this edition of *The Bulletin* and send it to the Recreation Office, North Portal.

Considerable interest has been shown in many groups around the plant for a league of this nature and the Recreation Office is desirous to get the group in action. The league will be open to all male employees of Y-12.

Only two people are required on a horseshoe team and it can serve as a favorite form of fun and relaxation for all age groups.



PRESENTING TWO FINE Y-12 PLANT BASKETBALL League teams. Left photo shows ADP, who battled all opposition right down to the last wire. First row reading from left, H. O. Seivers, Collen Shotts, Curt Ridings and S. J. Frost. Back row from left, Austin Crabtree, Bill Harper, Pat King, Aaron Harber



and Manager Russ Lawler. The Aces are pictured right, first row reading from left, Manager Herbert Oliver, John Myers and Bill Hamill. Back row from left, Arnold Moore, Edward Beeler and B. J. Phillips.

Remember—Only you can
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